

STEAMER BLOWS UP; SEVEN ARE DEAD

Loss of Life on Chiriqui Off
Panama May Be Even
Greater.

PASSENGERS SWEEP INTO SEA BY WAVE

Mad Panic Following Call for Life-
boat Fatal—But Few
Escape.

COLON, Panama, Oct. 4.—Seventy persons perished when the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamer Chiriqui plunked to the bottom of the ocean following the explosion of her boilers, ninety miles from Panama, according to advices received here today from Jarachine.

The Chiriqui was being driven under high pressure in the endeavor to make up lost time, this report states, when her boilers exploded.

It was late in the afternoon of September 27 and the vessel was making top speed through a calm sea when, without warning, a terrific explosion shook her from stem to stern hurling everything movable about the decks.

The passengers and members of the crew, about 100 in all, were thrown into a panic and a terrific fight took place around one of the life boats which a few cooler members of the crew, under orders from the officers, immediately started to launch.

Swept Overboard.
Before this boat could be lifted over the side the stern of the vessel lifted and the bow began to sink, the water rapidly creeping up the deck. At least half of the frenzied mob was swept overboard by a huge wave in the struggle.

The report from Jarachine, which is said to come from survivors, says that not more than a dozen succeeded in fighting their way into the life boat.

This report says that some of the survivors claimed that a second boat was launched and manned but the majority of the dozen who landed at Point Jarachine declare that only one boat got away. If this is so the loss of life will be somewhere between eighty and ninety.

The Chiriqui, which was bound for Callao, Peru, was equipped with wireless, but the terrific force of the explosion and the sinking of the vessel made it impossible for the vessel to even send out a "S. O. S."

Ships Scour Seas.
In hopes that the rumor of a second lifeboat putting off from the ship may be true, vessels were sent from several ports in the Canal Zone to search the ocean for survivors today.

The Chiriqui departed from Panama on September 27. The first alarm was felt at Buena Ventura when the vessel became several days overdue.

The company's agent at that point sent another ship in search of the Chiriqui, but she has not been sighted since.

The Chiriqui was well known in Southern and Central American waters. She was built by Bethlehem, Richardson and Company, of New York City.

She entered the trade shortly after her construction, and plied between Panama and other ports.

The vessel was of steel construction and of modern architecture. The gross tonnage of the ship was 643. She was 135 feet long and of 31 feet beam.

GIRL BRINGS TO U. S. TWENTY-ONE BOYS

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—To Miss Marie Allen, a young, slender girl, is due credit for having brought to the United States twenty-one sober and industrious citizens within the past six years. These citizens are the twenty-one boys of Miss Allen, for whom, one by one, she has arranged passage to America, since the first ventured to this country some years ago.

Twenty brothers of the girl are now profitably employed in New York; the twenty-first is en route to America. Only the parents of the girls and one sister are left at the old home near Vienna.

Army and Navy Service Orders

ARMY.

The following transfer at the request of the officers concerned is ordered:
Captain EDWARD WITTENMYER, general staff, Fifth Infantry, from Fifth Infantry to Sixth Infantry.

Captain GEORGE D. ARROWSMITH, from Sixth Infantry to Fifth Infantry.

Captain JAMES B. HUTCHINSON, Philippine Scouts, now on leave of absence at Columbus, Miss., from Oklaheo, Ga., for observation and treatment in the hospital at that point.

NAVY.

Rear Admiral G. B. HARBER, detached commander in chief, Pacific fleet, to home and to command.

Rear Admiral E. B. BARRY, to command in chief, Pacific fleet.

Rear Admiral S. C. COMLY, detached command Third division, Atlantic fleet, to home and with orders.

DECLARES POLITICS USED IN INTEREST OF THE NEW SCHEME.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Oct. 4.—An attack upon the postal savings law featured the opening session of the thirty-sixth annual convention of the American Bankers' Association, composed of the foremost bankers and financiers in America, which convened here today. The attack was made by President Lewis E. Pierson, in replying to the address of welcome delivered by George Alexander, mayor of Los Angeles, and W. W. Holladay, president of the Los Angeles clearing house.

Pierson declared reports had reached his ears that there is being exerted political pressure to use the newly created bank for individual benefit, "repugnant to all principles of good government."

Pierson urged a uniform system of bank accounting as the best aid to stability and national bank examiners. He also urged that some system be devised whereby the true value of commercial paper might be ascertained by banks before purchasing it in the market.

For Currency Reforms.
In the matter of currency reforms, Pierson favored the European custom, preventing the control of banks from passing into the hands of a few, by giving public stockholder but one vote, no matter how much stock the shareholder held. This, he thought, would curb the speculative control of banks, would insure better management and would keep undesirable men out of official positions in banks.

He urged many technical changes in the manner of reserve, rediscounting, and currency issues, and demanded of Congress a proper revision of the banking and currency system.

"In every nation of the world," he said, "the money and monetary system, leading up to an institution of discount and currency issue, has demonstrated its beneficial influences in keeping business conditions steady and stable by conservatively controlling the expansion of credit, through its rate of discount, and automatically increasing and decreasing the volume of money issues with the requirements of the trade."

Charges Against Pinkertons.
The report of the standing protective committee dealt at considerable length with the row between Pinkertons and the Pinkerton Detective Agency, which led to a severance of relations and the employment of Burns & Sheridan Agency to guard the bank of the members of the association.

The committee charges that the Pinkertons have maintained a guerrilla warfare since the trouble started and have grossly misrepresented the situation.

The association will be in session for several days.

WATER IS SCARCE, DRINKS COST MORE

Pennsylvania Citizens Must Pay
Higher Prices for Beer and
Whisky.

BIRDSBORO, Pa., Oct. 4.—Citizens of Birdsboro are in a quandary, over the water and beer question. The Birdsboro Water Company has notified its customers that the price of water will be increased so low that it is necessary to pump water from the Hay creek for drinking purposes.

Then the hotels and saloons raised the price of beer and whisky. Beer was selling at six glasses for 25 cents and whisky at 10 cents a drink. The advance rates makes beer 5 cents straight and whisky 15 cents a drink. The beer men say the price is necessary because of the increased cost of living.

Now the drug stores display signs which read: "Avoles, Aspirin, Fever Pure water for drinking purposes now on sale."

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CADETS' VICTORY IS UNCERTAIN ONE

West Pointers Unable to Decide Whether They or
Officers Won Out.

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Aviators whose machines were damaged by the high wind and rain yesterday which beat down the shelter tents at Hawthorne race track were at the track early today, repairing their machines for the events today.

During the gale yesterday Aviator Ely's arm was badly bruised. Those who are going to take part in the Chicago to New York stick close together in the flight as far as Albany.

WEST POINT, N. Y., Oct. 4.—Although freed after nine days' confinement and arrest for "silencing" Capt. Rufus Long, the one question that agitated the West Point cadet corps today was whether they or the military officers of the Academy have won a victory.

Following the arrest of the corps for the "silencing" every cadet positively refused to divulge to the court of inquiry the reasons or the names of those who instigated the episode. This put the entire cadet corps in practically a state of insubordination.

While the freeing of the cadets from arrest looks like a victory for them, it will not be definitely known until the court of inquiry makes its report whether or not such is the case. Should the court have succeeded in discovering who the instigators were, and should it ask that severe punishment be inflicted on those who admitted they were guilty of the worse for the encounter. This will not be known for several days yet, as the court has not summed up the evidence it secured.

The freeing of the cadets from arrest came last night. Orders were issued for every member of the corps to assemble in the gymnasium. Once all there, the doors were locked, and General Barry, in full uniform and surrounded by his staff, entered the hall.

The cadets at once gathered on the campus and cheered for ten minutes until they happened to remember that the finding of the court of inquiry might still mean severe punishment for a score or more of them, when the cheering ceased.

Following the freeing of the cadets, the coaches at once began work to whip the football squad into shape. The scrape of the cadets has put the team back nearly two weeks in its practice and prospects for a good showing this season are considered dubious.

WANT MACHINE GUN TO CAPTURE OUTLAW

Officers of Winter, Wis.,
Surround Cabin of John
Deitz.

WINTER, Wis., Oct. 4.—With his daughter dying as the result of being shot in the back, and with one of his sons wounded and a prisoner here, John Deitz, the outlaw of Cameron Dam, is hourly expected to raid the city today in revenge for the attack on members of his family.

Deitz has been deserted by all of his former friends. He is accused of shooting a man here on election day. He would raid the town and slay all his enemies. Today he was partly surrounded in his cabin by a posse which at a safe distance is sworn to kill him. A machine gun may be used.

Despite their dislike of Deitz, citizens of Winter threaten to make trouble for Sheriff Madden and the county attorney. Deitz's daughter was brutally killed on a road and bundled into a baggage car yesterday and taken to Ashland to a hospital.

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LOST—Male dog, brown, with white breast; number tag 10723. Reward, 250c. Pa. ave.

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WANTED—Washing to do at home, by first-class laundress; price reasonable. Call 1140 8th st. N. W.

WANTED—By competent woman, place to do day's work; can give ref. 2104 Vermont ave. N. W.

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WANTED—Stenographers, typewriters, bookkeepers, salesmen, salesladies, collectors, clerical, and sales-help to register PRESS VICTORY'S 220 LOYALTY SERVICE, 622 Munsey Bldg. Good positions now open.

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GIRL—Experienced, for lunch counter. RAY'S CAFE, 506 Pa. ave.

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GIRL—Colored, for general housework; no washing; reference. 1833 G st. N. W.

GIRL—Single, colored, 14 years or less, to assist about house. 115 K st. N. W.

GIRL—Neat, colored, as waitress, at the ADAMS CAFE, 220 Ga. ave. N. W.

GIRL—White, or colored, nurse and assist; stay nights; references. 124 R st. N. W. 1

GIRL in stationery store. 664 Pa. ave. S. E.

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FARM HAND—Reliable, who knows how to handle farm implements and horses; small family preferred. Address BOX 25 Times office.

I MADE \$50,000 in five years with a small mail order business; began with \$5; send for book on how to do it. HEACOCK, 1817 Lockport, N. Y.

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